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| Reinh | nard Georg GROSS |) 2854 |
| Application No. 10/524,419 | |) Examiner:) Leslie J. Evanisko |
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| For: | CYLINDERS OF A WEB-FED PRINTING PRESS AND PRINTING UNIT |)) |

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of April 5, 2007 in the subject U.S. patent application, applicant, through the undersigned, elects to prosecute, in this application, the invention or group of inventions identified by the Examiner as Group I; i.e. claims 42-44, 48, 50, 52, 54, 70, 72, 74, 77, 79, 82, 84, 87, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98 and 100, drawn to a cylinder having a controllable actuator in the cylinder groove. Applicant expressly reserves the right to file one or more divisional patent applications directed to the inventions, or groups of inventions not selected for prosecution in the subject patent application.

An early and favorable Office Action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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